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EXECUTING DECISIONAL RULES
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Group: 2308
Docket No:DR-232J

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT and an AFFIDAVIT
TRAVERSING PUBLIC USE REJECTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.132 in
reply to the advisory action in the parent application. Also
enclosed is a check in the amount of \$228.00 for the addition of
six independant claims in the preliminary amendment.

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